

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

To amend Chapter 6 of Title 40 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to uniform rules of the road, so as to change the offense of racing on highways or streets from a misdemeanor to a felony; to provide the punishment for same; to change the offense of driving in a circular or zigzag course from a misdemeanor to a felony; to provide the punishment for same; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

SECTION 1.

Chapter 6 of Title 40 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to uniform rules of the road, is amended by revising subsection (c) of Code Section 40-6-186, relating to racing on highways or streets, as follows:

"(c) Any person convicted of violating subsection (b) of this Code section shall be guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and shall be punished by imprisonment for not less than one nor more than five years, a fine of not less than \$1,000.00 nor more than \$5,000.00, or both such fine and imprisonment."

SECTION 2.

Said chapter is further amended by revising subsection (d) of Code Section 40-6-251, relating to driving in a circular or zigzag course, as follows:

"(d) Any person convicted of violating subsection (a) of this Code section shall be guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and shall be punished by imprisonment for not less than one nor more than five years, a fine of not less than \$1,000.00 nor more than \$5,000.00, or both such fine and imprisonment."

SECTION 3.

All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.